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Dear Examiner Cook:

As discussed earlier today via telephone, a Response to the Office Action dated July 13, 2005 for the above-identified patent application was filed on October 11, 2005. Attached is a copy of the Response as filed along with a copy of the date-stamped postcard receipt indicating that the OIPE received the Response on October 13, 2005. However, upon review of PAIR, the Response was apparently not made of record.

Applicant and the attorney of record respectfully request entry and consideration of the attached Response.

Respectfully,  
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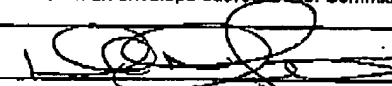
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